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Basic Financial Statements
And Supplementary Information
Schedule of Findings

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Officials

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	Board of Education	
	(Before September 2008 Election)	
Scott Danner	President	2009
Jamie Dettmer	Vice President	2010
Ronald Orf Laurie Buhrow Max Ambrose	Board Member Board Member Board Member	2010 2008 2008
	Board of Education	
	(After September 2008 Election)	
Jamie Dettmer*	President	2011
Scott Danner	Vice President	2009
Ronald Orf* Laurie Buhrow Max Ambrose	Board Member Board Member Board Member	2009 2011 2011
	School Officials	
Troy Heller	Superintendent	2009
Kassandra Johansen	District Secretary/Manager	2009

^{*}Board term extended per the District's transition plan for changing Board terms from 3 to 4 years in accordance with Chapter 39.24 of the Code of Iowa

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Independent Auditor's Report

To the Board of Education of Tripoli Community School District:

I have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, the business type activities, each major fund and the aggregate remaining fund information of Tripoli Community School District, Tripoli, Iowa, as of and for the year ended June 30, 2009, which collectively comprise the District's basic financial statements listed in the table of contents. These financial statements are the responsibility of District officials. My responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on my audit.

I conducted my audit in accordance with U.S. generally accepted auditing standards and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in <u>Government Auditing Standards</u>, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Those standards require that I plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. I believe that my audit provides a reasonable basis for my opinion.

In my opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities, the business type activities, each major fund and the aggregate remaining fund information of Tripoli Community School District at June 30, 2009, and the respective changes in financial position and cash flows, where applicable, for the year then ended in conformity with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles.

In accordance with <u>Government Auditing Standards</u>, I have also issued my report dated January 26, 2010 on my consideration of Tripoli Community School District's internal control over financial reporting and my tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grant agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is to describe the scope of my testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with <u>Government Auditing Standards</u> and should be considered in assessing the results of my audit.

Management's Discussion and Analysis and budgetary comparison information on pages 4 through 11 and 31 through 32 are not required parts of the basic financial statements, but are supplementary information required by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board. I have applied certain limited procedures, which consisted principally of inquiries of management regarding the methods of measurement and presentation of the supplementary information. I did not audit the information and express no opinion on it.

My audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise Tripoli Community School District's basic financial statements. I previously audited, in accordance with the standards referred to in the second paragraph of this report, the financial statements for the five years ended June 30, 2008 (which are not presented herein) and expressed unqualified opinions on those financial statements. Other supplementary information included in Schedules 1 through 4 is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the basic financial statements. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in my audit of the basic financial statements and, in my opinion, is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the basic financial statements taken as a whole.

Keith Oltrogge

Certified Public Accountant

January 26, 2010

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

Tripoli Community School District provides this Management's Discussion and Analysis of its financial statements. This narrative overview and analysis of the financial activities is for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2009. We encourage readers to consider this information in conjunction with the District's financial statements, which follow.

2009 FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

- General Fund revenues increased from \$4,293,576 in fiscal 2008 to \$4,596,063 in fiscal 2009, and General Fund expenditures increased from \$4,088,286 in fiscal 2008 to \$4,311,626 in fiscal 2009. The District's General Fund balance increased from \$1,059,992 in fiscal year 2008 to \$1,344,429 in fiscal year 2009, a 21.2% increase.
- The increase in General Fund revenues was attributable to an increase in local, state and federal grant revenue in fiscal year 2009. The increase in expenditures was due primarily to an increase in the negotiated salary and benefits and restricted grant expenditures.
- The increase in the District's General Fund balance resulted in the District's solvency ratio increasing from 25.5% in 2008 to 29.3 % in fiscal 2009. The District's solvency level indicates the District is able to meet unforeseen financing requirements and presents a sound risk for the timely repayment of short-term debt obligations.

USING THIS ANNUAL REPORT

The annual report consists of a series of financial statements and other information, as follows:

Management's Discussion and Analysis introduces the basic financial statements and provides an analytical overview of the District's financial activities.

The Government-wide Financial Statements consist of a Statement of Net Assets and a Statement of Activities. These provide information about the activities of Tripoli Community School District as a whole and present an overall view of the District's finances.

The Fund Financial Statements tell how governmental services were financed in the short term as well as what remains for future spending. Fund financial statements report Tripoli Community School District's operations in more detail than the government-wide statements by providing information about the most significant funds. The remaining statements provide financial information about activities for which Tripoli Community School District acts solely as an agent or custodian for the benefit of those outside of County government.

Notes to financial statements provide additional information essential to a full understanding of the data provided in the basic financial statements.

Required Supplementary Information further explains and supports the financial statements with a comparison of the District's budget for the year.

Other Supplementary Information provides detailed information about the non-major Special Revenue Funds.

Figure A-1 shows how the various parts of this annual report are arranged and relate to one another.

Figure A-1 Tripoli Community School District Annual Financial Report

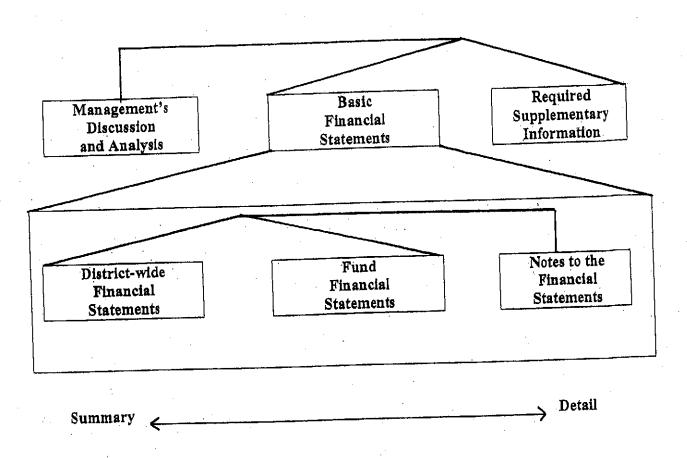


Figure A-2 summarizes the major features of the District's financial statements, including the portion of the District's activities they cover and the types of information they contain.

Figure A-2
Major Features of the Government-wide and Fund Financial Statements

			Fund Statements	Later - Later
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	Government-wide Statements	Governmental Funds	Proprietary Funds	Fiduciary Funds
Scope	Entire District (except fiduciary funds)	The activities of the District that are not proprietary or fiduciary, such as special education and building maintenance	Activities the District operates similar to private businesses: food services and adult education	Instances in which the District administers resources on behalf of someone else, such as scholarship programs
Required financial statements	Statement of net assets Statement of activities	Balance sheet Statement of revenues, expenditures and changes in fund balances	Statement of net assets Statement of revenues, expenses and changes in fund net assets	Statement of fiduciary net assets Statement of changes in fiduciary net assets
			Statement of cash flows	
Accounting basis and measurement focus	Accrual accounting and economic resources focus	Modified accrual accounting and current financial resources focus	Accrual accounting and economic resources focus	Accrual accounting and economic resources focus
Type of asset/ liability information	All assets and liabilities, both financial and capital, short-term and long-term	Generally, assets expected to be used up and liabilities that come due during the year or soon thereafter; no capital assets or long-term liabilities included	All assets and liabilities, both financial and capital, short-term and long-term	All assets and liabilities, both short-term and long-term; funds do not currently contain capital assets, although they can
Type of inflow/ outflow information	All revenues and expenses during year, regardless of when cash is received or paid	Revenues for which cash is received during or soon after the end of the year; expenditures when goods or services have been received and the related liability is due during the year or soon thereafter	All revenues and expenses during the year, regardless of when cash is received or paid	All additions and deductions during the year, regardless of when cash is received or paid

REPORTING THE DISTRICT'S FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES

Government-wide Financial Statements

The government-wide financial statements report information about the District as a whole using accounting methods similar to those used by private-sector companies. The Statement of Net Assets includes all of the District's assets and liabilities. All of the current year's revenues and expenses are accounted for in the Statement of Activities, regardless of when cash is received or paid.

The two government-wide financial statements report the District's net assets and how they have changed. Net assets – the difference between the District's assets and liabilities – are one way to measure the District's financial health or financial position. Over time, increases or decreases in the District's net assets are an indicator of whether financial position is improving or deteriorating. To assess the District's overall health, additional non-financial factors, such as changes in the District's property tax base and the condition of school buildings and other facilities, need to be considered.

In the government-wide financial statements, the District's activities are divided into two categories:

- Governmental activities: Most of the District's basic services are included here, such as regular and special education, transportation and administration. Property tax and state aid finance most of these activities.
- Business type activities: The District charges fees to help cover the costs of certain services it provides. The District's school nutrition program is included here.

Fund Financial Statements

The fund financial statements provide more detailed information about the District's funds, focusing on its most significant or "major" funds – not the District as a whole. Funds are accounting devices the District uses to keep track of specific sources of funding and spending on particular programs.

Some funds are required by state law and by bond covenants. The District establishes other funds to control and manage money for particular purposes, such as accounting for student activity funds, or to show that it is properly using certain revenues, such as federal grants.

The District has two kinds of funds:

- 1) Governmental funds: Most of the District's basic services are included in governmental funds, which generally focus on (1) how cash and other financial assets that can readily be converted to cash flow in and out and (2) the balances left at year-end that are available for spending. Consequently, the governmental fund statements provide a detailed short-term view that helps determine whether there are more or fewer financial resources that can be spent in the near future to finance the District's programs.
 - The District's governmental funds include the General Fund, Special Revenue Funds, and Debt Service Fund.
 - The required financial statements for governmental funds include a balance sheet and a statement of revenues, expenditures and changes in fund balances.
- 2) Proprietary funds: Services for which the District charges a fee are generally reported in proprietary funds. Proprietary funds are reported in the same way as the government-wide financial statements. The District's Enterprise Funds, one type of proprietary fund, are the same as its business type activities, but provide more detail and additional information, such as cash flows. The District currently has two Enterprise Funds, the School Nutrition Fund and Before and After School Fund.
 - The required financial statements for proprietary funds include a statement of revenues, expenses and changes in fund net assets and a statement of cash flows.

Reconciliation between the government-wide financial statements and the fund financial statements follow the fund financial statements.

GOVERNMENT-WIDE FINANCIAL ANALYSIS

Figure A-3 below provides a summary of the District's net assets at June 30, 2009 compared to June 30, 2008.

Figure A-3
Condensed Statement of Net Assets

Condensed Statement of Net Assets									
Governi	mental	Busines	ss Type	Tot	al	Total			
Activities		Activ	/ities	Dist	Change				
June	30,	June	30,	June	June 30,				
2009	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2008-2009			
\$4,163,258	\$3,669,963	\$114,718	\$106,749	\$4,277,976	\$3,776,712	\$501,264			
		47,641	53,327	6,022,656	5,660,344	362,312			
\$10,138,273	\$9,276,980	\$162,359	\$160,076	\$10,300,632	\$9,437,056	\$863,576			
\$1,671,015	\$1,314,377	\$ -	\$-	\$1,671,015	\$1,314,377	\$356,638			
2,277,962	2,302,707	2,796	1,990	2,280,758	2,304,697	-23,939			
\$3,948,977	\$3,617,084	\$2,796	\$1,990	\$3,951,773	\$3,619,074	\$332,699			
\$4,549,369	\$4,550,356	\$47,641	\$53,327	\$4,597,010	\$4,603,683	-\$6,673			
169,043	19,009	-	-	169,043	19,009	150,034			
1,470,884	1,090,531	111,922	104,759	1,582,806	1,195,290	387,516			
\$6,189,296	\$5,659,896	\$159,563	\$158,086	\$6,348,859	\$5,817,982	\$530,877			
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The District's combined net assets increased by nearly 8.4%, or \$530,877, over the prior year. The largest portion of the District's net assets is in the "invested in capital assets (e.g., land, infrastructure, buildings and equipment), less the related debt". The debt related to the investment in capital assets is liquidated with sources other than capital assets.

Restricted net assets represent resources that are subject to external restrictions, constitutional provisions or enabling legislation on how they can be used. The District's restricted net assets increased by \$150,034, or 88.8% over the prior year. The increase was primarily a result of an increase in other general fund reserved assets.

Unrestricted net assets – the part of net assets that can be used to finance day-to-day operations without constraints established by debt covenants, enabling legislation or other legal requirements – increased by \$387,516, or 24.5%.

Figure A-4 shows the change in net assets for the year ended June 30, 2009.

Figure A-4 Changes in Net Assets

	Changes in Net Assets					
		Business				
	Governmental	Type	Total			
	Activities	Activities	District			
Revenues:						
Program revenues:						
Charges for service	\$396,947	\$147,511	\$544,458			
Operating grants, contributions and						
restricted interest	711,161	83,115	794,276			
Capital grants, contributions and						
restricted interest	-	-	-			
General revenues:						
Property tax	1,678,844	-	1,678,844			
Local option sales & services tax	295,636	-	295,636			
Unrestricted state grants	2,166,517	-	2,166,517			
Unrestricted investment earnings	53,433	1,858	55,291			
Other	18,895	-	18,895			
Total revenues	\$5,321,433	\$232,484	\$5,553,917			
Program expenses:						
Governmental activities:						
Instruction	\$3,422,995	\$-	\$3,422,995			
Support services	1,126,926	-	1,126,926			
Non-instructional programs	•	231,007	231,007			
Other expenses	242,112	-	242,112			
Total expenses	\$4,792,033	\$231,007	\$5,023,040			
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Change in net assets	\$529,400	\$1,477	\$530,877			

Property tax and unrestricted state grants account for 69.2% of the total revenue. The District's expenses primarily relate to instruction and support services, which account for 90.5% of the total expenses.

Governmental Activities

Revenues for governmental activities were \$5,321,433 and expenses were \$4,792,033. In a difficult budget year, the District was able to balance the budget by trimming expenses to match available revenues.

The following table presents the total and net cost of the District's governmental activities: instruction, support services, non-instructional programs and other expenses.

Figure A-5
Total and Net Cost of
Governmental Activities

	Government	al Activities
Instruction Support services Non-instructional programs	Total Cost of Services	Net Cost of Services
	\$3,422,995 1,126,926	\$2,319,471 1,122,342
Non-instructional programs Other expenses	242,112	242,112
Totals	\$4,792,033	\$3,683,925

- The cost financed by users of the District's programs was \$544,458.
- Federal and state governments subsidized certain programs with grants and contributions totaling \$794,276.
- The net cost of governmental activities was financed with \$1,974,480 in property and other taxes and \$2,166,517 in unrestricted state grants.

Business Type Activities

Revenues for business type activities were \$232,484 and expenses were \$231,007. The District's business type activities include the School Nutrition Fund, and Before and After School Fund. Revenues of these activities were comprised of charges for service, federal and state reimbursements and investment income.

INDIVIDUAL FUND ANALYSIS

As previously noted, Tripoli Community School District uses fund accounting to ensure and demonstrate compliance with finance-related legal requirements.

The financial performance of the District as a whole is reflected in its governmental funds, as well. As the District completed the year, its governmental funds reported a combined fund balance of \$1,890,555, above last year's ending fund balances of \$1,374,200.

BUDGETARY HIGHLIGHTS

Over the course of the year, Tripoli Community School District amended its annual budget two times to reflect additional expenditures.

The District's receipts were \$204,491 more than budgeted receipts, a variance of 3.7%.

The Districts total expenditures were less than budgeted, due primarily to the District's budget for the General Fund. It is the District's practice to budget expenditures at anticipated expenditures for the General Fund. The District then manages or controls General Fund spending through its line-item budget.

CAPITAL ASSETS AND DEBT ADMINISTRATION

Capital Assets

At June 30, 2009, the District had invested \$6,022,656, net of accumulated depreciation, in a broad range of capital assets, including land, buildings, athletic facilities, computers, audio-visual equipment and transportation equipment. (See Figure A-6) This represents a net increase of 6.1% from last year. More detailed information about the District's capital assets is presented in Note 5 to the financial statements. Depreciation expense for the year was \$317,792.

The original cost of the District's capital assets was \$10,062,505. Governmental funds account for \$9,985,868, with the remainder of \$76,637 accounted for in the Proprietary, School Nutrition Fund.

Figure A-6
Capital Assets, net of Depreciation

			Capital As	sets, net of	Depreciation		
	Governi Activ		ss Type vities	To Dis	Total Change		
	June		June	30,	June	30,	June 30,
	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2008-2009
Land	\$33,500	\$33,500	\$-	\$-	\$33,500	\$33,500	\$-
Construction in process	-	170,342	-	_	-	170,342	-170,342
Buildings	5,502,929	4,896,551	-	-	5,502,929	4,896,551	606,378
Improvements other than buildings	88,451	100,289	-	-	88,451	100,289	-11,838
Furniture and equipment	350,135	406,335	47,641	53,327	397,776	459,662	-61,886
Totals	\$5,975,015	\$5,607,017	\$47,641	\$53,327	\$6,022,656	\$5,660,344	\$362,312

Long-Term Debt

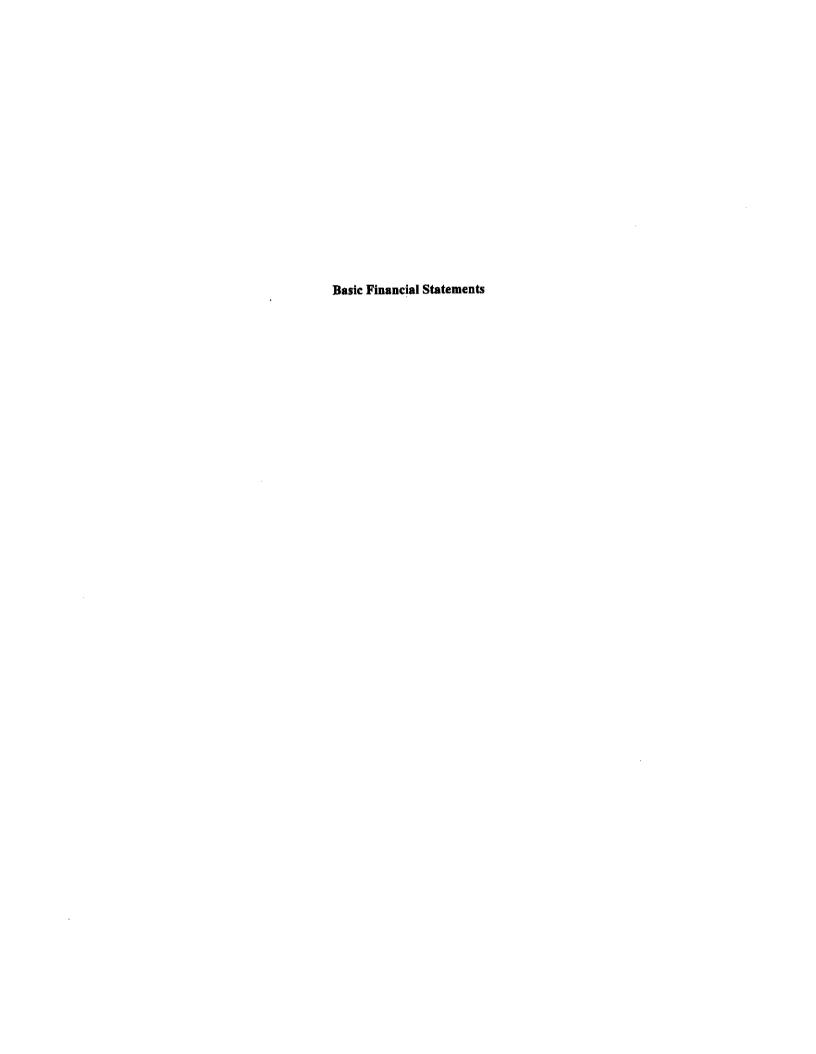
At June 30, 2009, the District had \$1,671,015 in other long-term debt outstanding. This represents an increase of 21.4% from last year. (See Figure A-7) Additional information about the District's long-term debt is presented in Note 6 to the financial statements.

Outstandin	Figure A-7 Outstanding Long-term Obligations							
Tota]	Total						
Distri	ct	Change						
June 3	30,	June 30,						
2009	2008	2008-2009						
\$1,425,646	\$1,056,661	\$368,985						
245,369	257,716	-12,347						
\$1,671,015	\$1 314 377	\$356,638						

Notes payable Early retirement Totals

CONTACTING THE DISTRICT'S FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT

This financial report is designed to provide the District's citizens, taxpayers, customers, investors and creditors with a general overview of the District's finances and to demonstrate the District's accountability for the money it receives. If you have questions about this report or need additional financial information, contact Kassandra Johansen, District Secretary/Manager, Tripoli Community School District, 209 8th Avenue SW, Tripoli IA 50676.



Statement of Net Assets

June 30, 2009

		Govern- mental Activities		Business Type Activities		Total
Assets						
Cash and Cash Equivalents:	•	200.000	¢		\$	300,000
Restricted	\$	300,000	\$	96,721	Ф	2,236,100
Other		2,139,379		90,721		2,230,100
Receivables:						
Property tax:		10.000				19,082
Delinquent		19,082		-		1,458,868
Succeeding year		1,458,868		463		24,446
Accounts		23,983		463		21,571
Prepaid expenses		21,571		-		200,375
Due from other governments		200,375		17 524		17,534
Inventories		5.075.015		17,534 47,641		6,022,656
Capital assets, net of accumulated depreciation		5,975,015	4.		\$	10,300,632
Total Assets	_\$_	10,138,273	\$	162,359	<u> </u>	10,300,032
Liabilities						
Accounts payable	\$	80,483	\$	-	\$	80,483
Salaries and benefits payable		256,057		-		256,057
Accrued interest payable		5,259		-		5,259
Deferred revenue-succeeding year property tax		1,458,868		-		1,458,868
Other		177,295		2,796		180,091
Bank warrants payable		300,000		-		300,000
Long-term liabilities:						
Portion due within one year:						
Notes payable		172,169		-		172,169
Early retirement		44,798		-		44,798
Portion due after one year:						
Notes payable		1,253,477		-		1,253,477
Early retirement		200,571		_		200,571
Total Liabilities	\$	3,948,977	\$	2,796	<u>\$</u> _	3,951,773
Net Assets Invested in capital assets, net of related debt	\$	4,549,369	\$	47,641	\$	4,597,010
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Restricted for:		77,166		-		77,166
Categorical funding		-92,367		-		-92,367
Management levy		65,304		_		65,304
Physical plant and equipment levy		118,940		_		118,940
Other special revenue purposes		1,470,884		111,922		1,582,806
Unrestricted	-\$	6,189,296	\$	159,563	\$	6,348,859
Total Net Assets	ψ. •	0,102,20	<u> </u>	,		- 1 2

Statement of Activities

Year Ended June 30, 2009

					Program Revenu	es_	
		-	Charges		Operating Grants, Contributions and		Capital Grants, Contributions and Restricted
	Evmonsos						Interest
	Expenses		Services		merest		Interest
\$	2,315,960	\$	206,347	\$	613,922	\$	-
	561,083		21,849		87,727		-
	545,952		168,751				-
\$	3,422,995	\$	396,947	\$	706,577	\$_	-
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7	231,007	Ф	147,511	Ψ	05,115	Ψ	
\$	5,023,040	\$	544,458	\$	794,276	\$	_
	\$ \$ \$ \$ \$	\$ 38,269 122,315 439,856 362,307 164,179 \$ 1,126,926 \$ 62,039 180,073 \$ 242,112 \$ 4,792,033 \$ 217,321 13,686 \$ 231,007	\$ 2,315,960 \$ 561,083	Expenses for Services \$ 2,315,960 \$ 206,347 561,083 21,849 545,952 168,751 \$ 3,422,995 \$ 396,947 \$ 38,269 \$ - 122,315 - 439,856 - 362,307 - 164,179 - \$ 1,126,926 \$ - \$ \$ 62,039 \$ - 180,073 - \$ 242,112 \$ - \$ \$ 4,792,033 \$ 396,947 \$ 217,321 \$ 129,929 13,686 17,582 \$ 231,007 \$ 147,511	Charges for Services \$ 2,315,960 \$ 206,347 \$ 561,083 21,849 545,952 168,751 \$ 3,422,995 \$ 396,947 \$ \$ 38,269 \$ - \$ 122,315 - 439,856 - 362,307 - 164,179 - \$ 1,126,926 \$ - \$ \$ \$ 62,039 \$ - \$ \$ 180,073 - \$ 242,112 \$ - \$ \$ \$ 4,792,033 \$ 396,947 \$ \$ \$ 217,321 \$ 129,929 \$ \$ 13,686 17,582 \$ 231,007 \$ 147,511 \$	Operating Grants, Contributions and Restricted Interest \$ 2,315,960 \$ 206,347 \$ 613,922 \$ 561,083 \$ 21,849 \$ 87,727 \$ 545,952 \$ 168,751 \$ 4,928 \$ 3,422,995 \$ 396,947 \$ 706,577 \$ 38,269 \$ - \$ 3,002 \$ 122,315 \$ - \$ 362,307 \$ - \$ 164,179 \$ - \$ 1,582 \$ 1,126,926 \$ - \$ 4,584 \$ 62,039 \$ - \$ 4,584 \$ 62,039 \$ - \$ - \$ - \$ 3,002 \$ 180,073 \$ - \$ - \$ - \$ 1,582 \$ 4,792,033 \$ 396,947 \$ 711,161 \$ 217,321 \$ 129,929 \$ 83,115 \$ 13,686 \$ 17,582 \$ - \$ \$ 231,007 \$ 147,511 \$ 83,115	Operating Grants, Contributions and Restricted Interest \$ 2,315,960 \$ 206,347 \$ 613,922 \$ 6113,922 \$ 87,727 \$ 87,727 \$ 4,928 \$ 87,727 \$ 4,928 \$ 3,422,995 \$ 396,947 \$ 706,577 \$ 3,002 \$ 3,0

Net (Expense) Revenue And Changes in Net Assets

 Governmental Activities	Business Type Activities		Total
\$ -1,495,691	\$ -	\$	-1,495,691
-451,507	-		-451,507
 -372,273	 -		-372,273
\$ -2,319,471	\$ -	\$	-2,319,471
\$ -35,267	\$ -	\$	-35,267
-122,315	-		-122,315
-439,856	-		-439,856
-362,307	-		-362,307
-162,597			-162,597
\$ -1,122,342	\$ _	\$	-1,122,342
\$ -62,039	\$ -	\$	-62,039
 -180,073	 _		-180,073
\$ -242,112	\$ -	\$	-242,112
\$ -3,683,925	\$ -	\$_	-3,683,925
\$	\$ - 4,277	\$	-4,277
-	3,896		3,896
\$ 	\$ -381	\$	-381
\$ -3,683,925	\$ -381	\$	-3,684,306

Statement of Activities

Year Ended June 30, 2009

	Program Revenues				
		Operating	Capital		
		Grants,	Grants,		
		Contributions	Contributions		
	Charges	and	and		
	for	Restricted	Restricted		
Expenses	Services	Interest	Interest		

General Revenues:

Property Tax Levied For:
General purposes
Capital outlay
Local option sales and services tax
Unrestricted state grants
Unrestricted investment earnings
Other

Total General Revenues

Change in net assets Net assets beginning of year

Net Assets End of Year

Net (Expense) Revenue And Changes in Net Assets

 Governmental Activities	Business Type Activities	Total
\$ 1,510,841 168,003 295,636 2,166,517 53,433 18,895	\$ - - - 1,858	\$ 1,510,841 168,003 295,636 2,166,517 55,291 18,895
\$ 4,213,325	\$ 1,858	\$ 4,215,183
\$ 529,400 5,659,896	\$ 1,477 158,086	\$ 530,877 5,817,982
\$ 6,189,296	\$ 159,563	\$ 6,348,859

Balance Sheet Governmental Funds

June 30, 2009

Assets		General		Capital Projects		Non-major Funds		Total
Cash and Pooled Investments:								
Restricted	\$	300,000	\$	-	\$	-	\$	300,000
Other		1,607,979		200,237		331,163		2,139,379
Receivables:								
Property Tax:								
Delinquent		15,907		-		3,175		19,082
Succeeding year		1,143,933		-		314,935		1,458,868
Accounts		300		23,683		-		23,983
Prepaid expenses		18,663		-		2,908		21,571
Due from other governments		200,375				-		200,375
Total Assets	\$	3,287,157	\$	223,920	\$	652,181	\$	4,163,258
Liabilities and Fund Balances								
Liabilities:	_	<i></i>	•	15.040	¢.		\$	80,483
Accounts payable	\$	65,443	\$	15,040	\$	-	Ъ	256,057
Salaries and benefits payable		256,057		-		-		300,000
Bank warrants payable		300,000		-		-		300,000
Deferred Revenue:						214 025		1,458,868
Succeeding year property tax		1,143,933		-		314,935		177,295
Other		177,295		-		<u> </u>		177,493
Total Liabilities	_\$_	1,942,728	\$	15,040	\$	314,935	\$	2,272,703
Fund Balances:								
Reserved for:								
Categorical funding	\$	77,166	\$	-	\$	-	\$	77,166
Unreserved		1,267,263		208,880		337,246		1,813,389
Total Fund Balances	\$	1,344,429	\$	208,880	\$	337,246	\$	1,890,555
Total Liabilities and Fund Balances	\$	3,287,157	\$	223,920	\$	652,181	\$	4,163,258

Reconciliation of the Balance Sheet – Governmental Funds To the Statement of Net Assets

June 30, 2009

Total fund balances of governmental funds (page 15)	\$ 1,890,555
Amounts reported for governmental activities in the Statement of Net Assets are different because:	
Capital assets used in governmental activities are not financial resources and, therefore, are not reported as assets in the governmental funds	5,975,015
Accrued interest payable on long-term liabilities is not due and payable in the current period and, therefore, is not reported as a liability in the governmental funds	-5,259
Long-term liabilities, including notes payable and early retirement, are not due and payable in the current period and, therefore, are not reported in the funds	 -1,671,015
Net assets of governmental activities (page 12)	\$ 6,189,296

Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances Governmental Funds

Year Ended June 30, 2009

		General	Capital Projects		Non-Major Funds	Total
Revenues:		00110141	 110,000			
Local Sources:						
Local tax	\$	1,430,807	\$ 295,636	\$	248,037	\$ 1,974,480
Tuition		195,466	· -		-	195,466
Other		110,803	5,662		175,859	292,324
Intermediate sources		2,000	-		-	2,000
State sources		2,655,669	_		176	2,655,845
Federal sources		201,318	-		-	201,318
Total Revenues	\$	4,596,063	\$ 301,298	\$	424,072	\$ 5,321,433
Expenditures:						
Current:						
Instruction:						
Regular instruction	\$	2,183,974	\$ -	\$	48,117	\$ 2,232,091
Special instruction		561,083	-		-	561,083
Other instruction		389,890	-		150,504	540,394
	\$	3,134,947	\$ 	\$	198,621	\$ 3,333,568
Support Services:						
Student services	\$	38,269	\$ -	\$	-	\$ 38,269
Instructional staff services		122,315	-		-	122,315
Administration services		394,684	-		33,648	428,332
Operation and maintenance of plant services		332,264	-		20,738	353,002
Transportation services		109,074	-		6,934	 116,008
•	\$	996,606	\$ 	\$	61,320	\$ 1,057,926
Other Expenditures:						
Facilities acquisition	\$	-	\$ 498,222	\$	40,550	\$ 538,772
Long-Term Debt:						
Principal		-	•		256,747	256,747
Interest and fiscal charges		-	•		63,724	63,724
AEA flow-through		180,073			_	180,073
·	\$	180,073	\$ 498,222	\$	361,021	\$ 1,039,316
Total Expenditures	\$	4,311,626	\$ 498,222	_\$_	620,962	\$ 5,430,810
Excess (deficiency) of revenues over (under) expenditures	\$	284,437	\$ -196,924	\$	-196,890	\$ -109,377
Other Financing Sources (Uses):						
Loan proceeds	\$	-	\$ 625,732	\$	_	\$ 625,732
Operating transfers in (out)	_	_	-135,270		135,270	•
Operating transfers in (522)	-					
Total Other Financing sources (uses)	_\$_		\$ 490,462	\$	135,270	\$ 625,732
Net change in fund balances	\$	284,437	\$ 293,538	\$	- 61,620	\$ 516,355
Fund balances beginning of year		1,059,992	 -84,658		398,866	1,374,200
Fund Balances End of Year	\$	1,344,429	\$ 208,880	\$	337,246	\$ 1,890,555
			 <u> </u>			

Reconciliation of the Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances – Governmental Funds To the Statement of Activities

Year Ended June 30, 2009

Net change in fund balances – total governmental funds (page 17)		\$	516,355
Amounts reported for governmental activities in the Statement of Activities are different because:			
Capital outlays to purchase or build capital assets are reported in governmental funds as expenditures. However, these costs are not reported in the Statement of Net Assets and are allocated over their estimated useful lives as depreciation expense in the Statement of Activities. Capital outlay expenditures exceeded depreciation expense in the current year, as follows:			
Expenditures for capital assets Depreciation expense	\$ 685,790 -317,792		367,998
Proceeds from issuing long-term liabilities provide current financial resources to governmental funds, but issuing debt increases long-term liabilities in the Statement of Net Assets. Repayment of long-term liabilities is an expenditure in the governmental funds, but the repayment reduces long-term liabilities in the Statement of Net Assets. Current year issues exceeded paymentss, as follows:			
Issued Repaid	\$ -625,732 256,747	-	-368,985
Interest on long-term debt in the Statement of Activities differs from the amount reported in the governmental funds because interest is recorded as an expenditure in the funds when due. In the Statement of Activities, interest expense is recognized as the interest accrues, regardless of when it is due.			1,685
Some expenses reported in the Statement of Activities do not require the use of current financial resources and, therefore, are not reported as expenditures in the governmental funds, as follows:			
Early retirement		\$	12,347
Change in Net Assets of Governmental Activities (page 14)		\$	529,400

Statement of Net Assets Proprietary Funds

June 30, 2009

	Before & After School			School Nutrition		Total
Assets						
Cash and cash equivalents Accounts receivable Inventories Capital assets, net of accumulated depreciation	\$	14,092 42 - 14,134	\$	82,629 421 17,534 47,641 148,225	\$	96,721 463 17,534 47,641 162,359
Total Assets		14,134	Ψ	170,220		
Liabilities						
Deferred revenue	_\$	-	\$	2,796	\$	2,796
Net Assets						
Invested in capital assets, net of related debt Unrestricted	\$	14,134	\$	47,641 97,788	\$	47,641 111,922
Total Net Assets		14,134	\$	145,429	\$	159,563

Statement of Revenues, Expenses and Changes in Fund Net Assets Proprietary Funds

June 30, 2009

		Before & After School		School Nutrition	<u></u>	Total
Operating revenues:						
Local sources:	\$	17,582	\$	129,929	\$	147,511
Charges for service	<u> </u>	17,562	-Φ	129,929	Ψ	147,511
Operating expenses:						
Non-instructional programs:						
Food service and child care operations:						
Salaries and benefits	\$	12,408	\$	94,270	\$	106,678
Purchased services		-		1,166		1,166
Supplies		1,278		115,301		116,579
Depreciation		-		6,386		6,386
Other		<u> </u>		198		198_
Total operating expenses	\$	13,686	\$	217,321	\$	231,007
Operating income (loss)		3,896	\$_	-87,392	\$	-83,496
Non-operating revenues:						
State sources	\$	-	\$	2,823	\$	2,823
Federal sources		-		80,292		80,292
Interest income		253		1,605		1,858
Total non-operating revenues	\$	253	\$	84,720	\$	84,973
Change in net assets	\$	4,149	\$	-2,672	\$	1,477
Net assets beginning of year		9,985		148,101		158,086
Net Assets End of Year	<u>\$</u>	14,134	\$	145,429	\$	159,563

Statement of Cash Flows Proprietary Fund

Year Ended June 30, 2009

		School Nutrition
Cash flows from operating activities: Cash received from sale of lunches and breakfasts Cash paid to employees for services Cash paid to suppliers for goods or services	\$	130,844 -94,270 -96,397
Net cash used by operating activities	\$	-59,823
Cash flows from non-capital financing activities: State grants received Federal grants received	\$	2,823 61,115_
Net cash provided by non-capital financing activities	\$	63,938
Cash flows from capital and related financing activities: Acquisition of capital assets	\$	-700
Cash flows from investing activities: Interest on investments	\$	1,605
Net decrease in cash and cash equivalents	\$	5,020
Cash and cash equivalents beginning of year	·	77,609
Cash and Cash Equivalents End of Year	_\$	82,629
Reconciliation of operating loss to net cash used by operating activities: Operating loss	\$	-87,392
Adjustments to reconcile operating loss to net cash used by operating activities: Commodities used		19,177
Depreciation		6,386 1,090
Decrease in inventories Decrease in accounts receivable Increase in deferred revenue		110 806
Net Cash Used by Operating Activities		-59,823

Non-cash investing, capital and financing activities:

During the year ended June 30, 2009, the District received \$19,177 of federal commodities.

Statement of Cash Flows Proprietary Fund

Year Ended June 30, 2009

		Before & After School
Cash flows from operating activities: Cash received from services Cash paid to employees for services Cash paid to suppliers for goods or services Net cash provided by operating activities	\$	17,637 -12,408 -1,278 3,951
Cash flows from investing activities: Interest on investments	_\$_	253
Net increase in cash and cash equivalents	\$	4,204
Cash and cash equivalents beginning of year		9,888
Cash and Cash Equivalents End of Year		14,092
Reconciliation of operating income to net cash provided by operating activities: Operating income Adjustments to reconcile operating income to net cash provided by operating activities: Decrease in accounts receivable	\$	3,896
Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities	\$	3,951

Notes to Financial Statements

June 30, 2009

(1) Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

Tripoli Community School District is a political subdivision of the State of Iowa and operates public schools for children in grades kindergarten through twelve. Additionally, the District either operates or sponsors various adult education programs. These courses include remedial education as well as vocational and recreational courses. The geographic area served includes the Cities of Tripoli and Frederika, Iowa and portions of the predominately agricultural territories in Bremer and Chickasaw Counties. The District is governed by a Board of Education whose members are elected on a non-partisan basis.

The District's financial statements are prepared in conformity with U. S. generally accepted accounting principles as prescribed by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board.

A. Reporting Entity

For financial reporting purposes, Tripoli Community School District has included all funds, organizations, agencies, boards, commissions and authorities. The District has also considered all potential component units for which it is financially accountable and other organizations for which the nature and significance of their relationship with the District are such that exclusion would cause the District's financial statements to be misleading or incomplete. The Governmental Accounting Standards Board has set forth criteria to be considered in determining financial accountability. These criteria include appointing a voting majority of an organization's governing body and (1) the ability of the District to impose its will on that organization or (2) the potential for the organization to provide specific benefits to or impose specific financial burdens on the District. Tripoli Community School District has no component units which meet the Governmental Accounting Standards Board criteria.

<u>Jointly Governed Organization</u> – The District participates in a jointly governed organization that provides services to the District but does not meet the criteria of a joint venture since there is no ongoing financial interest or responsibility by the participating governments. The District is a member of the County Assessor's Conference Board.

B. Basis of Presentation

Government-wide Financial Statements – The Statement of Net Assets and the Statement of Activities report information on all of the non-fiduciary activities of the District. For the most part, the effect of inter-fund activity has been removed from these statements. Governmental activities, which normally are supported by tax and intergovernmental revenues, are reported separately from business type activities, which rely to a significant extent on fees and charges for service.

The Statement of Net Assets presents the District's non-fiduciary assets and liabilities, with the difference reported as net assets. Net assets are reported in three categories:

Invested in capital assets, net of related debt consists of capital assets, net of accumulated depreciation and reduced by outstanding balances for bonds, notes and other debt attributable to the acquisition, construction or improvement of those assets.

Restricted net assets result when constraints placed on net asset use are either externally imposed or imposed by law through constitutional provisions or enabling legislation.

Unrestricted net assets consist of net assets that do not meet the definition of the two preceding categories. Unrestricted net assets often have constraints on resources imposed by management, which can be removed or modified.

The Statement of Activities demonstrates the degree to which the direct expenses of a given function or segment are offset by program revenues. Direct expenses are those clearly identifiable with a specific function. Program revenues include (1) charges to customers or applicants who purchase, use or directly benefit from goods, services, or privileges provided by a given function and (2) grants, contributions and interest restricted to meeting the operational or capital requirements of a particular function. Property tax and other items not properly included among program revenues are reported instead as general revenues.

<u>Fund Financial Statements</u> – Separate financial statements are provided for governmental, proprietary and fiduciary funds, even though the latter are excluded from the government-wide financial statements. Major individual governmental funds are reported as separate columns in the fund financial statements. All remaining governmental funds are aggregated and reported as non-major governmental funds.

The District reports the following major governmental fund:

The General Fund is the general operating fund of the District. All general tax revenues and other revenues that are not allocated by law or contractual agreement to some other fund are accounted for in this fund. From the fund are paid the general operating expenditures, including instructional, support and other costs.

The Capital Projects Fund is used to account for all resources used in the acquisition and construction of capital facilities.

The District reports the following major proprietary funds:

The District's proprietary funds are the Enterprise, School Nutrition Fund and Before and After School Fund. These funds are used to account for the food service operations of the District and child care operations of the District.

C. Measurement Focus and Basis of Accounting

The government-wide, proprietary and fiduciary fund financial statements are reported using the economic resources measurement focus and the accrual basis of accounting. Revenues are recorded when earned and expenses are recorded when a liability is incurred, regardless of the timing of related cash flows. Property tax is recognized as revenue in the year for which it is levied. Grants and similar items are recognized as revenue as soon as all eligibility requirements imposed by the provider have been satisfied.

Governmental fund financial statements are reported using the current financial resources measurement focus and the modified accrual basis of accounting. Revenues are recognized as soon as they are both measurable and available. Revenues are considered to be available when they are collectible within the current period or soon enough thereafter to pay liabilities of the current period. For this purpose, the government considers revenues to be available if they are collected within 60 days after year-end.

Property tax, intergovernmental revenues (shared revenues, grants and reimbursements from other governments) and interest associated with the current fiscal period are all considered to be susceptible to accrual. All other revenue items are considered to be measurable and available only when cash is received by the District.

Expenditures generally are recorded when a liability is incurred, as under accrual accounting. However, principal and interest on long-term debt, claims and judgments and compensated absences are recognized as expenditures only when payment is due. Capital asset acquisitions are reported as expenditures in governmental funds. Proceeds of general long-term debt and acquisitions under capital leases are reported as other financing sources.

Under the terms of grant agreements, the District funds certain programs by a combination of specific cost-reimbursement grants and general revenues. Thus, when program expenses are incurred, there are both restricted and unrestricted net assets available to finance the program. It is the District's policy to first apply cost-reimbursement grant resources to such programs, and then general revenues.

The proprietary funds of the District apply all applicable GASB pronouncements, as well as the following pronouncements issued on or before November 30, 1989, unless these pronouncements conflict with or contradict GASB pronouncements: Financial Accounting Standards Board Statements and Interpretations, Accounting Principles Board Opinions, and Accounting Research Bulletins of the Committee on Accounting Procedure.

Proprietary funds distinguish operating revenues and expenses from non-operating items. Operating revenues and expenses generally result from providing services and producing and delivering goods in connection with a proprietary fund's principal ongoing operations. The principal operating revenues of the District's Enterprise Fund is charges to customers for sales and services. Operating expenses for enterprise funds include the cost of sales and services, administrative expenses and depreciation on capital assets. All revenues and expenses not meeting this definition are reported as non-operating revenues and expenses.

The District maintains its financial records on the cash basis. The financial statements of the District are prepared by making memorandum adjusting entries to the cash basis financial records.

D. Assets, Liabilities and Fund Equity

The following accounting policies are followed in preparing the balance sheet:

<u>Cash</u>, <u>Pooled Investments and Cash Equivalents</u> – The cash balances of most District funds are pooled and invested. Investments are stated at fair value.

For purposes of the statement of cash flows, all short-term cash investments that are highly liquid are considered to be cash equivalents. Cash equivalents are readily convertible to known amounts of cash and, at the day of purchase, have a maturity date no longer than three months.

<u>Property Tax Receivable</u> - Property tax in governmental funds is accounted for using the modified accrual basis of accounting.

Property tax receivable is recognized in these funds on the levy or lien date, which is the date the tax asking is certified by the Board of Education. Delinquent property tax receivable represents unpaid taxes for the current and prior years. The succeeding year property tax receivable represents taxes certified by the Board of Education to be collected in the next fiscal year for the purposes set out in the budget for the next fiscal year. By statute, the District is required to certify its budget in April of each year for the subsequent fiscal year. However, by statute, the tax asking and budget certification for the following fiscal year becomes effective on the first day of that year. Although the succeeding year property tax receivable has been recorded, the related revenue is deferred in both the government-wide and fund financial statements and will not be recognized as revenue until the year for which it is levied.

Property tax revenue recognized in these funds become due and collectible in September and March of the fiscal year with a 1½ % per month penalty for delinquent payments; is based on January 1, 2007 assessed property valuations; is for the tax accrual period July 1, 2008 through June 30, 2009 and reflects the tax asking contained in the budget certified to the County Board of Supervisors in April 2008.

<u>Due from Other Governments</u> – Due from other governments represents amounts due from the State of Iowa, various shared revenues, grants and reimbursements from other governments.

<u>Inventories</u> – Inventories are valued at cost using the first-in, first-out method for purchased items and government commodities. Inventories of proprietary funds are recorded as expenses when consumed rather than when purchased or received.

<u>Capital Assets</u> — Capital assets, which include property, furniture and equipment, are reported in the applicable governmental or business type activities columns in the government-wide Statement of Net Assets. Capital assets are recorded at historical cost. Donated capital assets are recorded at estimated fair market value at the date of donation. The costs of normal maintenance and repair that do not add to the value of the asset or materially extend asset lives are not capitalized. Capital assets are defined by the District as assets with an initial, individual cost in excess of the following thresholds and estimated useful lives in excess of two years.

Asset Class	Amount
Land	\$ 2,000
Buildings	10,000
Improvements other than buildings	10,000
Furniture and equipment:	
School Nutrition Fund equipment	500
Other furniture and equipment	2,000
Capital assets are depreciated using the straight-line method over the following estimated useful lives:	
Capital assets are depreciated using the straight line thesited over the time.	Estimated
	Useful Lives
Asset Class	(In Years)
Duilding.	50 years
Buildings	20 - 50 years
Improvements other than buildings	5 – 15 years
Furniture and equipment	2 .2 , 00.0

<u>Salaries and Benefits Payable</u> – Payroll and related expenditures for support staff corresponding to the current school year, which were paid in July, have been accrued as liabilities.

<u>Deferred Revenue</u> — Although certain revenues are measurable, they are not available. Available means collected within the current period or expected to be collected soon enough thereafter to be used to pay liabilities of the current period. Deferred revenue in the governmental fund financial statements represents the amount of assets that have been recognized, but the related revenue has not been recognized since the assets are not collected within the current period or expected to be collected soon enough thereafter to be used to pay liabilities of the current period. Deferred revenue consists of unspent grant proceeds as well as property tax receivable and other receivables not collected within sixty days after year-end.

Deferred revenue in the Statement of Net Assets consists of succeeding year property tax receivable that will not be recognized as revenue until the year for which it is levied.

<u>Long-term Liabilities</u> – In the government-wide financial statements, long-term debt and other long-term obligations are reported as liabilities in the governmental activities column in the Statement of Net Assets.

<u>Fund Equity</u> – In the governmental fund financial statements, reservations of fund balance are reported for amounts that are not available for appropriation or are legally restricted by outside parties for use for a specific purpose.

<u>Restricted Net Assets</u> – In the government-wide Statement of Net Assets, net assets are reported as restricted when constraints placed on net asset use are either externally imposed by creditors, grantors, contributors or laws and regulations of other governments or imposed by law through constitutional provisions or enabling legislation.

E. Budgets and Budgetary Accounting

The budgetary comparison and related disclosures are reported as Required Supplementary Information.

(2) Cash and Pooled Investments

The District's deposits in banks at June 30, 2009 were entirely covered by federal depository insurance or by the State Sinking Fund in accordance with Chapter 12C of the Code of Iowa. This chapter provides for additional assessments against the depositories to insure there will be no loss of public funds.

The District is authorized by statute to invest public funds in obligations of the United States government, its agencies and instrumentalities; certificates of deposit or other evidences of deposit at federally insured depository institutions approved by the Board of Education; prime eligible bankers acceptances; certain high rated commercial paper; perfected repurchase agreements; certain registered open-end management investment companies; certain joint investment trusts; and warrants or improvement certificates of a drainage district.

(3) Inter-fund Transfers

The detail of inter-fund transfers for the year ended June 30, 2009 is as follows:

Transfer to	Transfer from	Amount
Debt Service	Physical Plant and Equipment Levy	\$ 185,201
	Capital Projects	135,270
Deat Service	Capital 1. Ojutio	\$ 320,471

Transfers generally move revenues from the fund statutorily required to collect the resources to the fund statutorily required to expend the resources.

(4) Bank Anticipatory Warrants

The District has entered into an agreement with American Savings Bank for the issuance of anticipatory warrants of \$300,000 with an interest rate of 3.5%. Activity for the year ended June 30, 2009 is as follows:

Balance Beginning Of Year	Advances Received	Advances Repaid	Balance End of Year	
\$300,000	\$300,000	\$300,000	\$300,000	

Cash advanced under these warrants are held in a money management savings account. These funds are only used if the District's regular cash flow is inadequate to meet current needs.

(5) Capital Assets

Capital assets activity for the year ended June 30, 2009 was as follows:

		Balance Beginning Of Year		Increases		Decreases		Balance End Of Year
Governmental Activities:								
Capital assets not being depreciated:	\$	33,500	\$	-	\$	-	\$	33,500
Land Construction in process	Ф	170,342	Ψ	-	Ψ	170,342	-	-
Total capital assets not being depreciated	\$	203,842	\$	-	\$	170,342	\$	33,500
Capital assets being depreciated:							_	0.400.140
Buildings	\$	7,708,366	\$	781,796	\$	-	\$	8,490,162
Improvements other than buildings		297,996				-		297,996
Furniture and equipment		1,089,874		74,336	_			1,164,210
Total capital assets being depreciated	_\$_	9,096,236	\$	856,132	\$	-	\$	9,952,368
Less accumulated depreciation for:					•		¢.	2.007.222
Buildings	\$	2,811,815	\$	175,418	\$	-	\$	2,987,233
Improvements other than buildings		197,707		11,838		-		209,545 814,075
Furniture and equipment		683,539	Ф.	130,536	·		\$	4,010,853
Total accumulated depreciation		3,693,061	\$	317,792			<u> </u>	4,010,655
Total capital assets being depreciated, net	_\$_	5,403,175	\$	538,340	\$	-	\$	5,941,515
Governmental Activities Capital Assets, Net	\$	5,607,017	\$	538,340	\$	170,342	\$_	5,975,015
		Balance Beginning						Balance End
		Of Year		Increases		Decreases		Of Year
Business type activities:	•	75.037	er.	700	\$		\$	76,637
Furniture and equipment	\$	75,937	\$	700 6,386	Þ	-	Þ	28,996
Less accumulated depreciation						-		20,220
		22,610		0,500		1.07		
Business Type Activities Capital Assets, Net	\$	53,327	\$	-5,686	\$	_	\$	47,641
Business Type Activities Capital Assets, Net Depreciation expense was charged to the following Governmental Activities: Instruction:		53,327	\$		\$	-		
Depreciation expense was charged to the following Governmental Activities:		53,327	\$		\$_	_	\$ \$	47,641 240,736 8,056
Depreciation expense was charged to the following Governmental Activities: Instruction: Regular		53,327	\$_		\$			240,736 8,056
Depreciation expense was charged to the following Governmental Activities: Instruction: Regular Other Support services: Administration		53,327	\$		\$_	-		240,736 8,056 11,524
Depreciation expense was charged to the following Governmental Activities: Instruction: Regular Other Support services:		53,327	\$		\$	-		240,736 8,056 11,524 9,305
Depreciation expense was charged to the following Governmental Activities: Instruction: Regular Other Support services: Administration		53,327	\$		\$	_		240,736 8,056 11,524
Depreciation expense was charged to the following Governmental Activities: Instruction: Regular Other Support services: Administration Operation and maintenance of plant	functio	53,327	\$		\$	-		240,736 8,056 11,524 9,305
Depreciation expense was charged to the following Governmental Activities: Instruction: Regular Other Support services: Administration Operation and maintenance of plant Transportation Total Depreciation Expense – Governmental Ac	functio	53,327	\$		\$	_	\$	240,736 8,056 11,524 9,305 48,171 317,792
Depreciation expense was charged to the following Governmental Activities: Instruction: Regular Other Support services: Administration Operation and maintenance of plant Transportation	functio	53,327	\$		\$	-	\$	240,736 8,056 11,524 9,305 48,171

(6) Long-term Liabilities

Changes in long-term liabilities for the year ended June 30, 2009 are summarized as follows:

	 Balance Beginning Of Year	Additions	 Reductions	 Balance End Of Year	Due Within One Year
Notes payable Early retirement	\$ 1,056,661 257,716	\$ 625,732 38,678	\$ 256,747 51,025	\$ 1,425,646 245,369	\$ 172,169 44,798
Total	\$ 1,314,377	\$ 664,410	\$ 307,772	\$ 1,671,015	\$ 216,967

Early Retirement

The District offers a voluntary early retirement plan to its certified employees. Eligible employees must be at least age fifty-five and employees must have completed twenty years of continuous service to the District. Employees must complete an application, which is required to be approved by the Board of Education. Early retirement incentives for eligible employees is composed of:

1) The School District shall provide up to four hundred dollars (\$400.00) per month for payment of health insurance premiums of the retired teacher for ninety-six (96) months. However, the monthly payment shall not exceed, in any event, the actual cost of the monthly health insurance premiums of the retired teacher.

Early retirement benefits paid during the year ended June 30, 2009 totaled \$51,025. The cost of early retirement payments expected to be liquidated currently are recorded as a liability of the Special Revenue, Management Levy Fund. A liability has been recorded in the Governmental Activities Long-Term Liabilities section representing the District's commitment to fund non-current early retirement.

Note Payable - Science Room Addition

On June 19, 2007, the District signed a note payable to American Savings Bank of Tripoli IA for the construction of a science room addition. The note was written for \$900,000. The interest rate on the note is 4.5%. Semi-annual payments will be \$67,634.88 to be paid on December 1 and June 1 of each year, with the note maturing December 1, 2015.

Details of the District's June 30, 2009 note payable - science room addition are as follows:

Year ending June 30,	Principal	Interest _
2010	\$ 104,368	\$ 30,901
2011	109,185	26,085
2012	114,169	21,101
2013	119,491	15,778
2014	125,112	10,157
2015	128,384	4,216
Total	\$ 700,709	\$ 108,238

Note Payable - Preschool

On May 1 2008, the District signed a note payable to American Savings Bank of Tripoli IA for the construction of a preschool room addition. The note was written for \$800,000. The interest rate on the note is 4.5%. Semi-annual payments will be \$50,460.25 to be paid on December 1 and June 1 of each year, with the note maturing June 1, 2018.

Details of the Districts June 30, 2009 note payable – preschool are as follows:

Year ending June 30,	Principle	Interest
2010	\$ 67,801 \$	30,151
2011	70,713	27,239
2012	73,686	24,266
2013	76,915	21,037
2014	80,219	17,733
2015	83,664	14,288
2016	87,231	10,721
2017	91,005	6,948
2018	93,703	4,249
Total	\$ 724,937 \$	156,632

During the year ended June 30, 2009, the District made principal and interest payments totaling \$320,471 under the agreements.

(7) Pension and Retirement Benefits

The District contributes to the Iowa Public Employees Retirement System (IPERS), which is a cost-sharing multiple-employer defined benefit pension plan administered by the State of Iowa. IPERS provides retirement and death benefits, which are established by state statute to plan members and beneficiaries. IPERS issues a publicly available financial report that includes financial statements and required supplementary information. The report may be obtained by writing to IPERS, P. O. Box 9117, Des Moines, Iowa, 50306-9117.

Plan members are required to contribute 4.10% of their annual covered salary and the District is required to contribute 6.35% of annual covered payroll for the years ended June 30, 2009, 2008 and 2007. Contribution requirements are established by state statute. The District's contributions to IPERS for the years ended June 30, 2009, 2008 and 2007 were \$155,906, \$124,464, and \$107,161, respectively, equal to the required contributions for each year.

(8) Risk Management

Tripoli Community School District is exposed to various risks of loss related to torts; theft; damage to and destruction of assets; errors and omissions; injuries to employees; and natural disasters. These risks are covered by the purchase of commercial insurance. The District assumes liability for any deductibles and claims in excess of coverage limitations. Settled claims from these risks have not exceeded commercial insurance coverage in any of the past three fiscal years.

(9) Area Education Agency

The District is required by the Code of Iowa to budget for its share of special education support, media and educational services provided through the area education agency. The District's actual amount for this purpose totaled \$180,073 for the year ended June 30, 2009 and is recorded in the General Fund by making a memorandum adjusting entry to the cash basis financial statements.

(10) Construction Commitments

The District has committed to various summer improvement projects totaling \$75,272. These include a door project of \$35,750, stage curtains for \$12,990, carpet for \$15,756 and a water heater for \$10,776.



Budgetary Comparison Schedule of Receipts, Disbursements and Changes in Balances – Budget and Actual – All Governmental Funds and Proprietary Funds

Required Supplementary Information

Year Ended June 30, 2009

	 Governmental Funds Actual	·	Proprietary Funds Actual
Receipts: Local sources Intermediate sources State sources Federal sources Total Receipts	\$ 2,462,270 2,000 2,655,845 201,318 5,321,433	\$	149,369 2,823 80,292 232,484
Disbursements: Instruction Support services Non-instructional programs Other expenditures Total Disbursements	\$ 3,333,568 1,057,926 - 1,039,316 5,430,810	\$	231,007
Excess (deficiency) of receipts over (under) disbursements	\$ -109,377	\$	1,477
Other financing sources, net	625,732		
Excess (deficiency) of receipts and other financing sources over (under) disbursements and other financing uses Balances beginning of year	\$ 516,355 1,374,200	\$	1,477 158,086
Balances End of Year	 1,890,555	\$	159,563

Total	Budgeted	Amo	ounts	Final to Actual
 Actual	Original		Final	Variance
\$ 2,611,639 2,000	\$ 2,415,986	\$	2,415,986	\$ 195,653 2,000
2,658,668 281,610	2,728,040 205,400		2,728,040 205,400	-69,372 76,210
\$ 5,553,917	\$ 5,349,426	\$	5,349,426	\$ 204,491
\$ 3,333,568	\$ 3,532,769	\$	3,532,769	\$ 199,201
1,057,926	1,130,550		1,139,844	81,918
231,007	282,960		282,960	51,953
1,039,316	613,670		1,100,000	60,684
\$ 5,661,817	\$ 5,559,949	\$	6,055,573	\$ 393,756
\$ -107,900	\$ -210,523	\$	-706,147	\$ 598,247
625,732	-		<u>-</u>	 625,732
\$ 517,832 1,532,286	\$ -210,523 1,287,661	\$	-706,147 1,287,661	\$ 1,223,979 244,625
\$ 2,050,118	\$ 1,077,138	\$	581,514	\$ 1,468,604

Notes to Required Supplementary Information - Budgetary Reporting

Year Ended June 30, 2009

This budgetary comparison is presented as Required Supplementary Information in accordance with <u>Governmental Accounting Standards Board</u> Statement No. 41 for governments with significant budgetary perspective differences resulting from not being able to present budgetary comparisons for the General Fund and each major Special Revenue Fund.

In accordance with the Code of Iowa, the Board of Education annually adopts a budget following required public notice and hearing for all funds except Private Purpose Trust and Agency Funds. The budget may be amended during the year utilizing similar statutorily prescribed procedures. The District's budget is prepared on a GAAP basis.

Formal and legal budgetary control for the certified budget is based upon four major classes of expenditures known as functions, not by fund. These four functions are instruction, support services, non-instructional programs and other expenditures. Although the budget document presents function expenditures or expenses by fund, the legal level of control is at the aggregated functional level, not by fund. The Code of Iowa also provides District expenditures in the General Fund may not exceed the amount authorized by the school finance formula. During the year, the District adopted two budget amendments increasing budgeted disbursements by \$495,624.



Combining Balance Sheet Non-Major Funds

June 30, 2009

	Special Revenues							
	М	Management S		Student Activity		Physical Plant and Equipment Levy		Total
Assets	_		•	110.040	•	(2.167	e.	221 162
Cash and pooled investments	\$	149,066	\$	118,940	\$	63,157	\$	331,163
Receivables:								
Property Tax:		1,028		_		2,147		3,175
Delinquent Succeeding year		140,000		_		174,935		314,935
Prepaid expenses		2,908		-		, <u>-</u>		2,908
, repara expenses								
Total Assets		293,002	\$	118,940	\$	240,239	\$	652,181
Liabilities & Fund Equity Liabilities:								
Deferred revenue:	•	140.000	٠		e	174,935	\$	314,935
Succeeding year property tax	<u>\$</u> \$	140,000	<u>\$</u> \$		<u>\$</u>	174,935	<u> </u>	314,935
Total Liabilities	3	140,000	Þ	-	Þ	174,333	J	514,955
Fund Equity: Unreserved fund balances		153,002		118,940		65,304		337,246
Total Liabilities and Fund Equity	_\$	293,002	\$	118,940	\$	240,239	\$	652,181

Combining Schedule of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances Non-Major Funds

Year Ended June 30, 2009

	Special Revenues									
	N	lanagement Levy	•	Student Activity		Physical Plant and Equipment Levy		Debt Service		Total .
Revenues:		······································								
Local Sources:			_		_		•		•	240.027
Local tax	\$	80,034	\$	-	\$	168,003	\$	-	\$	248,037
Other		9,330		164,174		2,355		-		175,859
State		57		•	_	119	Ф.		ď	176 424,072
Total Revenues		89,421	\$	164,174	\$	170,477	\$		\$	424,072
Expenditures: Current: Instruction:										
Regular instruction	\$	48,117	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	48,117
Other instruction		-		150,504		-		•		150,504
Support Services:										
Administration services		33,648		-		-		-		33,648
Operation and maintenance of										20,738
plant services		20,738		-		-		-		6,934
Transportation services		6,934		-		-		-		0,934
Other Expenditures:						40.550				40,550
Facilities acquisition		-		-		40,550		-		40,550
Long-Term Debt:								256,747		256,747
Principal		-		_		-		63,724		63,724
Interest and fiscal charges		100 427	•	150,504	\$	40,550	\$	320,471	\$	620,962
Total Expenditures	\$	109,437	\$	130,304	<u> </u>	40,330	J	320,471	J	020,702
Excess (deficiency) of revenues over (under) expenditures	\$	-20,016	\$	13,670	\$	129,927	\$	-320,471	\$	-196,890
Other Financing Sources (Uses): Operating transfers in Operating transfers out	\$	-	\$	- -	\$	- -185,201	\$	320,471	\$	320,471 -185,201
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)	\$		\$_	_	\$	-185,201	\$	320,471	\$	135,270
Excess (deficiency) of revenues and other financing sources over (under) expenditures and other financing uses Fund balances beginning of year	\$	-20,016 173,018	\$	13,670 105,270	\$	-55,274 120,578	\$	- -	\$	-61,620 398,866
Fund Balances End of Year	\$	153,002	\$	118,940	\$	65,304	\$		\$	337,246
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Schedule of Changes in Special Revenue Fund, Student Activity Accounts

Year Ended June 30, 2009

A		Balance Beginning Of Year	Revenues and Inter-fund Transfers	Expenditures	Intra- Fund Transfers	Balance End of Year
Account		OI I Cai	1141131013	Experientares	 .,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,	
Interest	\$	4,137	\$ 2,899	\$ 109	\$ -	\$ 6,927
Vocal	_	4,568	3,254	2,262	-	5,560
Instrumental		1,053	831	874	-	1,010
Band Trip		1,963	4,573	2,820	•	3,716
Yearbook		2,989	3,919	1,499	-	5,409
Picture		1,761	235	-	-	1,996
Thalians		184	15	14	-	185
High School Student Council		2,059	1,156	937	179	2,457
Home Ec		690	-	-	-	690
National Honor Society		2,378	340	211	-	2,507
Faculty		1,444	230	-	-	1,674
SADD		452	1,005	999	100	558
Milk Machine		8,786	7,874	10,772	-210	5,678
Magazine Sales			10,304	6,731	-3,573	-
AEA Social Studies Grant		216	•	-	_	216
Art Resale		111	-	-	-	111
Art Trip		i	5,031	5,032	-	-
Industrial Tech		326	-	-	-	326
Pencil Resale		1,433	_	-	-	1,433
Manufacturing		376	93	404	-	65
Class of 2009		513	357	702	-	168
Class of 2010		2,970	584	3,124	-	430
Class of 2011		3,764	-	50	-	3,714
Class of 2012		2,654	24	-	643	3,321
Class of 2013		3,266	40	-	1,072	4,378
Class of 2014		1,228	7	-	679	1,914
Class of 2015		-	203	42	1,179	1,340
Football Fundraiser		3,715	3,667	5,356	50	2,076
Marketing Class		1,528	1,289	434	-300	2,083
FFA		298	6,459	5,866	-	891
Senior Class Play		668	606	315	-	959
Ecology		101	-	•	-	101
SES		157	-	-	-	157
SCIN		3,199	1,000	2,652	-	1,547
SCIN Treat		933	-	-	-	933
Athletics		14,466	50,379	58,876	-	5,969
Target		179	-	-	-179	-
Cheerleading		-	1,584	1,182	-	402
Golf Fundraiser		-	1,070	1,069	-	1
Boys Basketball		-	2,293	1,562	50	781
Baseball		-	2,170	2,010	-	160

Schedule of Changes in Special Revenue Fund, Student Activity Accounts

Year Ended June 30, 2009

Account		Balance Beginning Of Year	<u></u>	Revenues and Inter-fund Transfers	Expenditures	Intra- Fund Transfers	Balance End of Year
Girls Basketball	\$	Ŧ	\$	707	\$ 581	\$ 50	\$ 176
Volleyball Fundraiser	•	e -		6,643	3,949	50	2,744
Softball Fund		-		1,753	1,131	-	622
Athletic Scholarship		-		250	250	-	-
Middle School Student Council		85		38	259	210	74
Elementary Library		1,845		1,054	1,215	-	1,684
Elementary Outdoor Ed - EWALU		3,850		4,890	4,512	-	4,228
Elementary Concessions		4,511		102	35	_	4,578
Elementary Music		32		42	32	-	42
RIF		1		577	578	-	-
Elementary Carnival		20,340		34,627	22,058	-	32,909
Memorial		40		_			 40
Total	\$	105,270	\$	164,174	\$ 150,504	\$ 	\$ 118,940

Schedule of Revenues by Source and Expenditures by Function All Governmental Funds

For the Last Six Years

	Modified Accrual Basis					
	- -	2009		2008		2007
Revenues:						
Local Sources:	_		Φ.	1 020 477	ø	1 040 606
Local tax	\$	1,974,480	\$	1,938,473	\$	1,949,606
Tuition		195,466		152,698		164,384
Other		292,324		292,571		273,635
Intermediate sources		2,000		-		2 226 191
State sources		2,655,845		2,516,731		2,325,181
Federal sources		201,318		126,889		93,228
Total	\$	5,321,433	\$	5,027,362	\$	4,806,034
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Expenditures:						
Instruction:	¢	2,232,091	\$	2,046,139	\$	2,036,312
Regular instruction	\$	561,083	Ф	532,152	Ψ	589,127
Special instruction		540,394		517,023		486,843
Other instruction		340,394		517,025		400,015
Support services:		38,269		37,983		36,403
Student services		,		109,986		112,575
Instructional staff services		122,315		422,542		359,272
Administrative services		428,332		372,659		299,725
Operation and maintenance of plant services		353,002		,		176,346
Transportation services		116,008		116,002		170,340
Other expenditures:				1 222 260		177 566
Facilities acquisition		538,772		1,232,360		472,566
Long-term debt:				172 700		72.005
Principal		256,747		172,780		72,985
Interest and other charges		63,724		44,900		9,425
AEA flow-through		180,073		167,796		156,470
Total	\$	5,430,810	\$	5,772,322	\$	4,808,049

Modified Accrual Basis										
	2006		2005		2004					
\$	1,577,384	\$	1,602,580	\$	1,637,469					
	185,620		121,599		57,704					
	532,586		466,523		268,964					
	245		11,608		-					
	2,120,365		2,044,677		1,938,984					
	123,928		121,523		139,871					
\$	4,540,128	\$	4,368,510	\$	4,042,992					
\$	1,993,682	\$	1,902,372	\$	1,791,175					
-	460,717		565,249		487,491					
	419,971		300,596		317,935					
	37,432		42,476		68,474					
	119,616		127,605		125,457					
	363,724		338,143		360,456					
	316,272		300,241		253,433					
	180,524		157,858		94,712					
	320,092		114,883		119,923					
	68,886		65,300		74,756					
	13,524		17,110		19,383					
	142,761		139,660		141,547					
\$	4,437,201	\$	4,071,493	\$	3,854,742					

Independent Auditor's Report on Internal Control over Financial Reporting and on Compliance and Other Matters

Based on an Audit of Financial Statements Performed in Accordance with Government Auditing Standards

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Independent Auditor's Report on Internal Control over Financial Reporting
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Based on an Audit of Financial Statements Performed in
Accordance with Government Auditing Standards

To the Board of Education of Tripoli Community School District:

I have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, each major fund and the aggregate remaining fund information of Tripoli Community School District as of and for the year ended June 30, 2009, which collectively comprise the District's basic financial statements listed in the table of contents, and have issued my report thereon dated January 26, 2010. I conducted my audit in accordance with U.S. generally accepted auditing standards and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in Government Auditing Standards, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States.

Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing my audit, I considered the Tripoli Community School District's internal control over financial reporting as a basis for designing my auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing my opinion on the financial statements, but not for the purpose of expressing my opinion on the effectiveness of Tripoli Community School District's internal control over financial reporting. Accordingly, I do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of Tripoli Community School District's internal control over financial reporting.

My consideration of internal control over financial reporting was for the limited purpose described in the preceding paragraph and would not necessarily identify all deficiencies in internal control over financial reporting that might be significant deficiencies or material weaknesses. However, as discussed below, I identified certain deficiencies in internal control over financial reporting that I consider to be significant deficiencies and other deficiencies I consider to be material weaknesses.

A control deficiency exists when the design or operation of the control does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent or detect misstatements on a timely basis. A significant deficiency is a control deficiency, or combination of control deficiencies, that adversely affects Tripoli Community School District's ability to initiate, authorize, record, process, or report financial data reliably in accordance with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles such that there is more than a remote likelihood a misstatement of Tripoli Community School District's financial statements that is more than inconsequential will not be prevented or detected by Tripoli Community School District's internal control. I consider the deficiencies in internal control described in Part I of the accompanying Schedule of Findings to be significant deficiencies in internal control over financial reporting.

A material weakness is a significant deficiency, or combination of significant deficiencies that results in more than a remote likelihood a material misstatement of the financial statements will not be prevented or detected by Tripoli Community School District's internal control.

My consideration of the internal control over financial reporting was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and would not necessarily identify all deficiencies in the internal control that might be significant deficiencies and, accordingly, would not necessarily disclose all significant deficiencies that are also considered to be material weaknesses. However, of the significant deficiencies described above, I believe item I-A-09 is a material weakness.

Compliance and Other Matters

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether Tripoli Community School District's financial statements are free of material misstatement, I performed tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grant agreements, non-compliance with which could have a direct and material effect on the determination of financial statement amounts. However, providing an opinion on compliance with those provisions was not an objective of my audit and, accordingly, I do not express such an opinion. The results of my tests disclosed no instances of non-compliance or other matters that are required to be reported under Government Auditing Standards. However, I noted certain immaterial instances of noncompliance or other matters that are described in Part II of the accompanying Schedule of Findings.

Comments involving statutory and other legal matters about the District's operations for the year ended June 30, 2009 are based exclusively on knowledge obtained from procedures performed during my audit of the financial statements of the District. Since my audit was based on tests and samples, not all transactions that might have had an impact on the comments were necessarily audited. The comments involving statutory and other legal matters are not intended to constitute legal interpretations of those statutes.

Tripoli Community School District's responses to findings identified in my audit are described in the accompanying Schedule of Findings. While I have expressed my conclusions on the District's responses, I did not audit Tripoli Community School District's responses and, accordingly, I express no opinion on them.

This report, a public record by law, is intended solely for the information and use of the officials, employees and citizens of Tripoli Community School District and other parties to whom Tripoli Community School District may report, including federal awarding agencies and pass-through entities. This report is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

I would like to acknowledge the many courtesies and assistance extended to me by personnel of Tripoli Community School District during the course of my audit. Should you have any questions concerning any of the above matters, I shall be pleased to discuss them with you at your convenience.

Keith Oltrogge

Certified Public Accountant

January 26, 2010

Schedule of Findings

Year Ended June 30, 2009

Part I - Findings Related to the Financial Statements:

INSTANCES OF NON-COMPLIANCE:

No matters were reported.

SIGNIFICANT DEFICIENCIES:

I-A-09 Segregation of Duties - One important aspect of internal control is the segregation of duties among employees to prevent an individual employee from handling duties which are incompatible. I noted that one person has control over each of the following areas for both the General and Activity Funds: cash receipts - collecting, depositing, journalizing, posting and reconciling.

Recommendation — With the limited number of personnel involved in accounting for District activity, an ideal system of segregation of accounting duties and functions cannot be achieved to assure adequate internal control over the safeguarding of assets and the reliability of financial records and reporting. This is not unusual in an organization of your size. Under these circumstances, the most effective controls lie in (1) the administration's and the Board's knowledge of the District's financial operations and (2) striving to obtain as much segregation of duties as possible so that no one person has complete control of any type of financial transactions. I believe these controls are being effectively utilized in the District and recommend that diligent efforts be made to maintain their effectiveness.

<u>Response</u> – With the number of staff available to this size of District, we will have to continue operating as in the past. We will, however, continue to monitor and keep the Board aware of the District's financial operations.

Conclusion - Response accepted.

I-B-09 Annual Financial Statements – The ability to apply generally accepted accounting principles to the financial statements and determine the sufficiency of the footnote disclosure is a necessary aspect of internal control over the District's financial reporting process. The District does not possess an individual with the appropriate expertise to apply generally accepted accounting principles to the financial statements and to draft and determine the sufficiency of the necessary disclosures. The District has a limited number of employees and it is not cost beneficial to employ an individual with this type of expertise and knowledge. The internal financial statements prepared by the District are not prepared in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles and do not contain the required footnote disclosures.

<u>Recommendation</u> – This is common control deficiency of most small Districts and is often not corrected due to cost benefit considerations. I could assist you in gaining the necessary knowledge and skills if you determine that this is a control deficiency that the District would like to address.

Response - We will consult with you as needed on financial statement considerations.

<u>Conclusions</u> – Response accepted.

Schedule of Findings

Year Ended June 30, 2009

Part II - Other Findings Related to Statutory Reporting:

- II-A-09 Certified Budget Disbursements for the year ended June 30, 2009 did not exceed the amended amounts budgeted.
- II-B-09 Questionable Expenditures No expenditures that may not meet the requirements of public purpose as defined in an Attorney General's opinion dated April 25, 1979 were noted.
- II-C-09 Travel Expense No expenditures of District money for travel expenses of spouses of District officials or employees were noted. No travel advances to District officials or employees were noted.
- II-D-09 <u>Business Transactions</u> No business transactions between the District and District officials or employees were noted.
- II-E-09 Bond Coverage Surety bond coverage of District officials and employees is in accordance with statutory provisions. The amount of coverage should be reviewed annually to insure the coverage is adequate for current operations.
- II-F-09 Board Minutes No transactions requiring Board approval, which had not been approved by the Board, were noted.
- II-G-09 Certified Enrollment The number of basic resident students reported to the Iowa Department of Education on Line 7 of the Certified Enrollment Certification Form for October 2008 was overstated. The District's certified enrollment count included 19 nonresident students in line 1 which were also included in line 8 as open enrolled in nonresident students. This resulted in overstating the total actual enrollment at line 7 by 19 students.
 - <u>Recommendation</u> The District should contact the Iowa Department of Education and the Department of Management to resolve this matter.
 - Response We have contacted the Iowa Department of Education and the Department of Management.
 - Conclusion Response accepted.
- II-H-09 Deposits and Investments No instances of non-compliance with the deposit and investment provisions of Chapter 12B and Chapter 12C of the Code of Iowa and the District's investment policy were noted.
- II-I-09 <u>Certified Annual Report</u> The Certified Annual Report was filed with the Iowa Department of Education timely.
- IV-J-09 <u>Categorical Funding</u> No instances were noted of categorical funding being used to supplant rather then supplement other funds.

Schedule of Findings

Year Ended June 30, 2009

Part II - Other Findings Related to Statutory Reporting (continued):

IV-K-09 Statewide Sales and Services Tax – No instances of non-compliance with the use of the statewide sales and services tax revenue provisions of Chapter 423F.3 of the Code of Iowa were noted.

Pursuant to Chapter 423F.5 of the Code of Iowa, the annual audit is required to include certain reporting elements related to the statewide sales and service tax. For the year ended June 30, 2009, the District's financial activity and other required information for the statewide sales and services tax are as follows:

Beginning balance		\$ *
Statewide sales and services tax revenue		295,636
Expenditures/transfers out: School infrastructure: Equipment Other improvements	\$ 50,335 2,483	
Debt service for school infrastructure: Revenue debt	 135,270	 188,088
Ending balance		\$ 107,548